

Public Law 85-806

AN ACT

August 28, 1958
[S. 2594]

To transfer certain property and functions of the Housing and Home Finance Administrator to the Secretary of the Interior, and for other purposes.

Certain Indian housing.
Authority of Department of Interior.

5 USC 133y-16
note.

12 USC 1701g-5.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all right, title, and interest, including contractual rights and reversionary interests, held by the Federal Government in and with respect to project ALAS-50080 heretofore administered by the Housing and Home Finance Administrator, are hereby transferred to the Secretary of the Interior. All of the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Housing and Home Finance Administrator under the purchase and sale contract executed on October 1, 1946, by the United States, represented by the Acting Commissioner of the Federal Public Housing Authority, and by the Hoonah Indian Association, and transferred to the Housing and Home Finance Administrator by Reorganization Plan Numbered 3 of 1947 (61 Stat. 954), are hereby transferred to the Secretary of the Interior. There is also hereby transferred out of the fund entitled "Office of the Administrator revolving fund (liquidating programs)" established in the Office of the Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency, under title II of the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1955 (68 Stat. 272, 295), as amended, an amount equal to gross receipts from the project transferred by this section.

SEC. 2. For the purpose of liquidating such project the Secretary of the Interior is authorized, within the limits of funds available under section 3 of this Act:

(a) To make any surveys of the land on which the project is located that may be needed to vest titles in the individual purchasers of housing units, or to bring the housing project within the Hoonah townsite.

(b) To finance transfers to the individual purchasers of housing units of any interests in the lands on which the housing units are located that may be vested in others.

(c) To refund to individual Indians any payments made by them for housing accommodations which they did not receive.

(d) To pay to individual Indians the fair value, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior, of any land which they conveyed to the Hoonah Indian Association for the use of the project in return for housing accommodations which they did not receive.

(e) To make any repairs or improvements to individual housing units that may be needed to permit the disposition of such units to individual Indians.

(f) To acquire by purchase or eminent domain any lands or interests in lands that are needed for streets and alleys within the project, and to dedicate such lands for public use; and to acquire by eminent domain any interests in land the acquisition of which is authorized to be financed under subsection (b) of this section, and to convey such interests to the purchaser of the individual housing units involved.

(g) To allocate equally to the individual housing units the \$240,000 purchase price which the Hoonah Indian Association agreed to pay to the United States, to credit against the allocated purchase price for each unit all payments on principal heretofore made with respect to such unit, and to cancel any portion of the remainder of the debt on any unit that exceeds the value of the unit (as determined by the Secretary) decreased by the sum of all payments on principal heretofore made with respect to such unit.

(h) To release from the mortgage securing the debt of the Hoonah Indian Association any individual housing unit upon payment of the uncanceled portion of the debt allocated to it.

SEC. 3. All funds transferred to the Secretary of the Interior pursuant to section 1 of this Act and all funds hereafter collected from the project transferred by section 1 shall be established in a revolving fund in the Department of the Interior and may be used to carry out the purposes of this Act, including administrative expenses.

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Revolving fund.

Public Law 85-807

AN ACT

To amend the laws granting education and training benefits to certain veterans so as to extend, with respect to certain individuals, the period during which such benefits may be offered.

August 28, 1958
[S. 166]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph 1 of part VIII of Veterans Regulations Numbered 1 (a) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "Notwithstanding the provisions of the first and second provisos of the preceding sentence any otherwise eligible person whom the Administrator determines to have been prevented from initiating a course of education or training under this part within the period provided by the first of such provisos because such person had not met the nature of discharge requirements of this paragraph or of section 1503 of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 (38 U. S. C. 697c) prior to a change, correction, or modification of a discharge or dismissal made pursuant to section 301 of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, as amended (38 U. S. C. 693h), or the correction of a military or naval record made pursuant to title 10, United States Code, section 1552, or other corrective action by competent authority shall be permitted (a) to initiate a course of education or training under this part within four years after the date his discharge or dismissal was so changed, corrected, or modified, or within four years after the date of enactment of this sentence, whichever is later, and (b) to pursue, subject to the other provisions of this part, such course for a period of not more than five years after the date of initiation thereof; however, in no event may education or training be furnished to any such person after January 31, 1965."

Veterans.
Education and
training benefits.
38 USC ch. 12A.
World War II veterans.

58 Stat. 301.

58 Stat. 286.

70A Stat. 116.

SEC. 2. (a) Section 212 (a) of the Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act of 1952 is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: "Notwithstanding the preceding sentence any otherwise eligible veteran whom the Administrator determines to have been prevented from initiating a program of education or training under this title within such period because such veteran had not met the nature of discharge requirements of section 201 (2) (B) of this title prior to a change, correction, or modification of a discharge or dismissal made pursuant to section 301 of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, as amended (38 U. S. C. 693h), or the correction of a military or naval record made pursuant to title 10, United States Code, section 1552, or other corrective action by competent authority shall be permitted to initiate a program of education or training under this title within three years after the date his discharge or dismissal was so changed, corrected, or modified, or within three years after the date of enactment of this sentence, whichever is later."

Korean veterans.
66 Stat. 664.
38 USC 917.

58 Stat. 286.

70A Stat. 116.